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Message of the Day

Securing retirement with the Social Security lock box.

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- number of days since the U.S. House of Representatives passed lock box.

Events	TODAY - 7/1	Tomorrow – 7/2	Coming up	Yesterday's Events	Lead Stories
House GOP	* On floor: Y2K; financial services; * Hastert, Watts, Armey, DeLay, others news conference on balanced budget; * Watts, Peterson news conference on home health care; * Goodling hearing on education; * Coburn, Sanford news conference on Medicare; * Archer hearing on China trade; * Cox, Wolf, Rohrabacher news conference on China, trade.	* On floor: financial services; * Hefley subcommittee on reuse of former U.S. military installations; * Boehlert subcommittee on coastal waters.	* 7/4 Crane to march in Barrington, Rolling Meadows parades; * 7/5 Bilbray to participate in Coronado parade, VFW event; * 7/7 Bilbray to speak on hate crimes at San Diego Metropolitan Community Church; * 7/21 Roukema subcommittee on financial privacy; * 7/21 Gilchrest subcommittee on fishing vessels.	* On floor: child custody protection, abortion passed (270-159), parks; * Herger, Kingston news conference on lock box; * Hastert met with Mubarak; * Goodling markup of education; * Weller news conference on pensions; * Peterson news conference on Medicare home care payments; * Kasich hearing on corporate welfare.	ABC World News (Wed.) 1. Bush raises \$36 million 2. Fed raises interest rates 3. Downtown community holds funeral because of WalMart NBC Nightly News (Wed.) 1. Fed raises interest rates 2. Bush has raised \$36.2 million 3. Bradley's strong fundraising boosts Gore challenge CBS Evening News (Wed.) 1. Fed raises interest rates 2. Bush reports staggering \$36
Senate GOP	* On floor: lock box, Treasury-Postal, Y2K; * Helms hearing on effects of U.S. sanctions on foreign policy; * Ashcroft, Hutchison news conference on marriage tax; * Warner hearing on Kosovo with Clark; * Mack news conference on Everglades with Gore.	* On floor: intelligence, Commerce, Justice, State, Judiciary, Treasury- Postal, general government (tent.).	* 7/13 Craig subcommittee on national monuments; * 7/14 Campbell, Murkowski joint hearing on Indian trust funds; * 7/15 Murkowski hearing on market-based rates for power; * 7/21 Campbell hearing on Indian gaming; * 7/29 Murkowski, Cubin joint hearing on oil and gas leasing.	* On floor: foreign operations; * Coverdell, DeWine news conference on illegal drugs; * Lott, others met with Mubarak; * Fitzgerald news conference on budget surpluses; * Jeffords hearing on education; * Roth hearing on pension plans; * Hutchison, others news conference on home health.	million fundraising 3. Hubbell pleads guilty; independent law expiring Fox Special Report (Wed.) 1. Bush breaks fundraising records 2. Gore campaigns in N.Y., denies fundraising problems 3. Hubbell pleads guilty Washington Post (Thurs.) 1. Fed boosts rates, sets neutral policy course
Govs	* Engler to attend state police news conference.	* Keating to deliver keynote address to Baptist assembly.	* 7/3 Bush of Texas in L.A., Sacramento, San Francisco.	* Taft attended organ donation event with "Lawnmower Boy."	Barak wins key partner to coalition Bush's fundraising opens huge
President	* To attend new millennium event at National Archives; * To meet with Mubarak.	* To host Kim of Korea for working visit at White House.	* 7/5-8 To Ky., Miss., S.D., Calif. for new markets tour.	* To Chicago for tour of cultural center, Medicare event, DNC fundraiser, Cubs baseball game.	disparity Washington Times (Thurs.) 1. Fed raises rates by quarter point
1st Lady	* To join president at new millennium event.	Schedule not available to the public.	* 7/5 To receive award from NEA.	Schedule not available to the public.	2. Bush collects record \$36 million3. U.N. asks for more police to
VP Gore	* News conference on Everglades with Mack, to meet with Mubarak.	Schedule not available to the public.	* 7/6 To East St. Louis with president for new markets tour.	* To N.Y., D.C. for fundraiser, announced transfer accounts plan.	control Kosovo violence New York Times (Thurs.)
Cabinet	* Shalala to speak at Democrat caucus meeting on Medicare.	* Albright to join president's meeting with Kim (tent.).	* 7/5-8 Cuomo, others to join president on new markets tour.	* Rubin joined vice president for consumer announcement in N.Y.	Fed raises rates, may suffice Ailing foreigners burden U.S. emergency rooms
Dems	* Daschle, others news conference on funding for farmers; * Democrat caucus meeting on Medicare with Shalala; * Stenholm news conference on Blue Dog budget proposals.	* Kennedy of R.I. to speak at NEA conference.	* 7/9 McNulty fundraiser with first lady in Albany, N.Y.; * 7/10 Lewis of Ga. to address AFT Quest education conference; * 7/16 Slaughter fundraiser with first lady in Rochester, N.Y.	* Murray, others news conference on family leave, education; * Roybal-Allard, others news conference on patients' bill of rights; * Jackson Lee news conference on amnesty cases.	3. Bush announces a record haul USA TODAY (Thurs.) 1. Brand tops young NBA class 2. Kosovo's plight exaggerated 3. Fed raises rates, doesn't lower boom